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RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Introductory Comments:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 16, 2008, please consider the following. Claims 1-12, 16, 20-22, 24-27 and 39 are pending in the present application.

Solely for purposes of furthering the prosecution of the present application, Applicants hereby elect in accordance with 35 USC 121, with traverse, the compound of Example 17, that is 3-[2-Ethyl-4-(3-fluoro-5-[[[(5-fluoro-1,3-dimethyl-1H-indole-2-carbonyl)-amino]-methyl]-phenoxy)-phenyl]-propionic acid. The compound of Example 17 is represented by the structure:

